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Sir:

In reply to the Non-Final Office Action dated April 16, 2006, applicants respectfully request reconsideration and amendment of certain claims.

A listing of the pending claims begins on the next page. Remarks begin on the first page following the claims listing.